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OF PARTICLES WITH MEMBRANES DERIVED FROM CELLS BY MEANS OF LIPID-MODIFIED PROTEINACEOUS

MOLECULES

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Supplemental Amendment is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) (the "Notice") dated March 8, 2005 and in further response to the non-final Office Action dated May 18, 2004, for which a response was filed November 18, 2004 with a Petition and fee for a 3 months extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper. In accordance with the Notice, the status identifier labels in the claims have been corrected, claims 24-26 are identified as canceled, and the new claims previously numbered 24-26 are now 27-29.

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